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Vocational Courses
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is operating vocational courses in National Institute of Open Schooling (NIOS); and
(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a) and (b) : National Institute of Open Schooling (NIOS) offers 96 vocational courses in Agriculture, Business and Commerce, Computer and Information Technology, Health and Paramedical Sciences, Home Science and Hospitality. The admissions to NIOS courses are open round the year both online as well as off-line. The duration of Vocational Education Programme ranges from 6 months to 2 years, through a network of more than 1321 Accredited Vocational Institutes (AVI) across the country.
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